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(New Nonprovisional Applications Under 37 CFR § 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No.
1007-012

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Transmitted herewith is the patent application of ☒ first named inventor, Hung-Lien SHEN, entitled DATA INPUT METHOD AND DEVICE FOR A COMPUTER SYSTEM, for a(n):

- ☒ Original Patent Application.
- ☐ Continuing Application (prior application not abandoned):
- ☐ Continuation ☐ Divisional ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
of prior application No: _____ Filed on: _____
- ☐ A statement claiming priority under 35 USC § 120 has been added to the specification.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ Specification; 18 Total Pages. ☒ Drawing(s); 10 Total Sheets.
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- ☒ A Newly Executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney:
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- ☐ A Copy from a Prior Application for Continuation/Divisional (37 CFR § 1.63(d)).
Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied, is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated herein by reference.
- ☐ Signed Statement Deleting Inventor(s) Named in the Prior Application. (37 CFR § 163(d)(2)).
- ☐ Power of Attorney. ☐ Associate Power of Attorney
- ☐ Preliminary Amendment
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, Form PTO-1449, & References
- ☐ Non-Publication Request
- ☒ Application Data Sheet
- ☒ Certified Copy of Priority Documents (if foreign priority is claimed).
- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status
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Multiple Dependent Claims (if applicable)				\$0.00
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